

Public Meeting May 24, 2010

Open House 7:00 – 7:30 p.m.

Presentation 7:30-8:00 p.m.

Questions & Comments 8:00 – 9:30 p.m.





Public Meeting Agenda

<u>7:00 − 7:30</u> Open House

▼7:30 – 8:00 Presentation

- Objectives/Status/Schedule
- Public Comments
- Revised Alternatives
- Revised Phasing
- Phase I Development
- Addressing Community Concerns
- Next Steps



⊗ 8:00 - 9:30

Questions & Comments



Project Objectives/Status

- Assess aviation demand
- Preliminary land uses, layouts, phasing
- Revised land uses, layouts, phasing
- Assess development impacts and mitigation
- Consider public & stakeholder comments
- Prepare an Implementation Plan
- Document results in report & Airport Layout Plan (ALP)



Project Schedule

Data collection & business survey

Issues identification public meeting

Preliminary alternatives public meeting

Revised alternatives public meeting

Draft report

Final report

Kulis site returned to ANC

Nov/Dec 2009

January 20, 2010

March 30, 2010

May 24, 2010

August 2010

October 2010

September 2011





Public Meeting 2 Comments

Concerns Raised

- · noise, air quality visual impacts, traffic
- site design (such as lighting) review and enforcement
- development impacts on drainage & slope stability
- traffic safety and sight distance on Raspberry Road
- type of aircraft/operations to be allowed
- · impacts on property values and whether airport would acquire any homes

Questions Raised

- · level of demand for Kulis land
- level of airport/public review of development plans under the Single developer option
- · financial responsibility for/timing of infrastructure development

Public Suggestions

- maintain and enhance existing berm and trees
- · move perimeter road farther west
- keep aircraft as far from residential area as possible
- · land swap with MOA for permanent buffer
- Continue to coordinate with West Anchorage District Plan
- Comments favoring Options 1 and 3, against Option 2
- Suggestions that planners visit the neighborhood



Neighborhood Site Visit Comments

- Maintain, enhance
 visual/noise buffer –
 trees & berm
- Need for existing road?
- Buy out homes next to Kulis - north end?
- Drainage/erosion potential?
- Keep aircraft ops away from homes – do not like
 Option 2
- Potential for site tour after Guard leaves?







Long Term Option 1

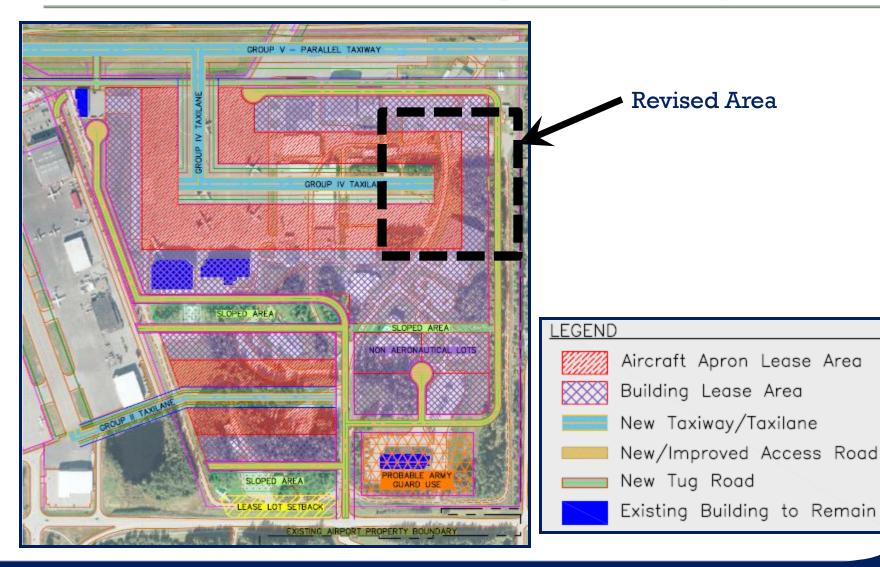
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LEGEND Aircraft Apron Lease Area Building Lease Area New Taxiway/Taxilane New/Improved Access Road New Tug Road Existing Building to Remain

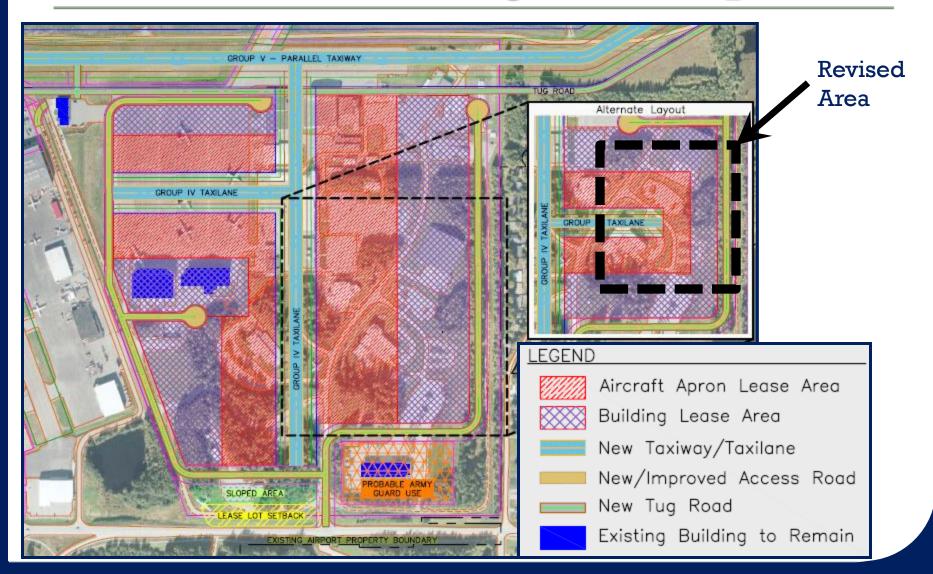


Revised Long Term Option 2





Revised Long Term Option 3

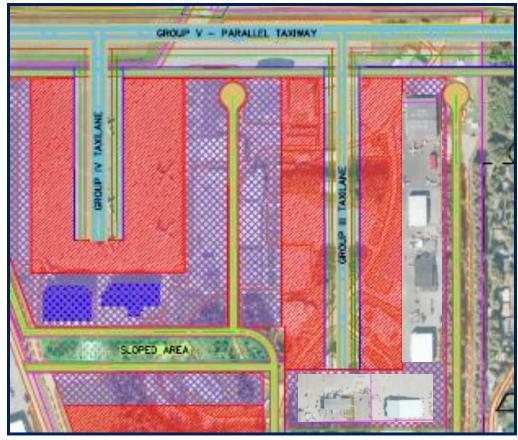




Possible building layout on lease lots

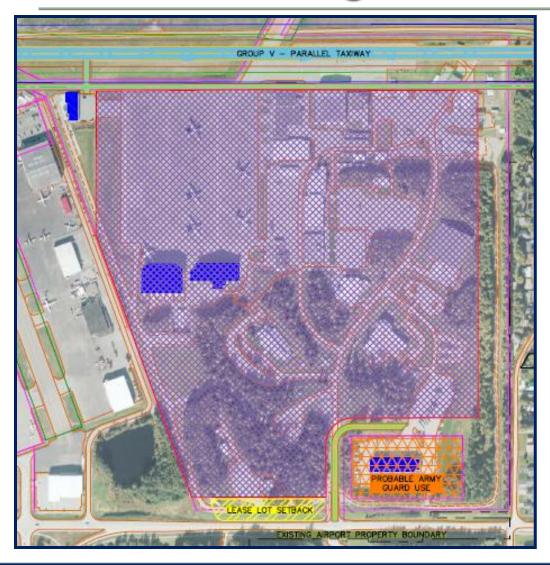
- South Airpark layout typical of aeronautical use
- Figure to right shows similar layout on Option 1 for reference

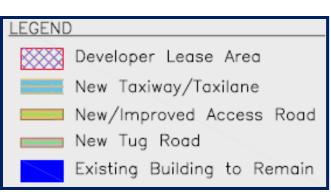






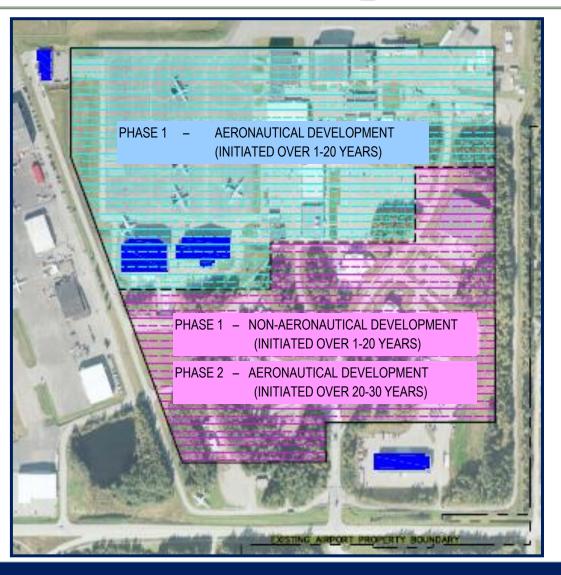
Long Term Option 4 – Single Developer (no change)





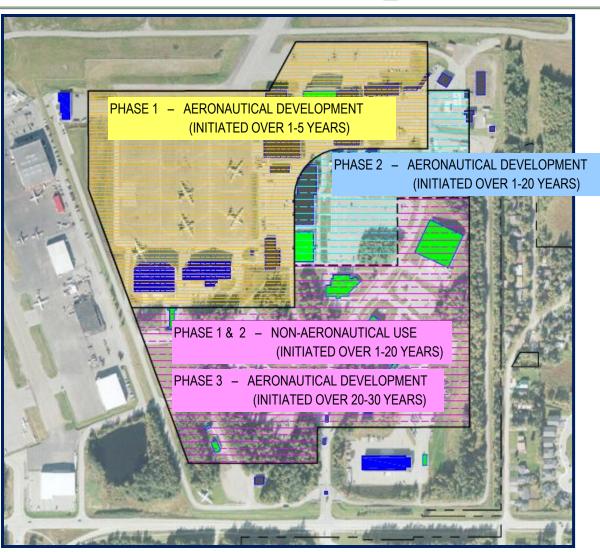


Initial Proposed Development Phases





Revised Development Phases

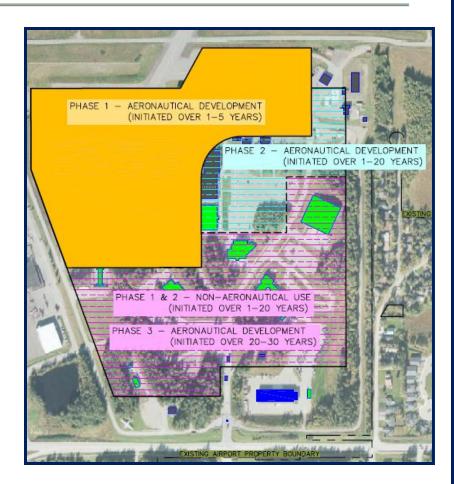




Potential Phasing Phase 1

NW Quadrant - 1 to 5+ years

- 5 aeronautical lease lots
- Meets anticipated nearterm aeronautical demand
- Easiest/least cost to develop



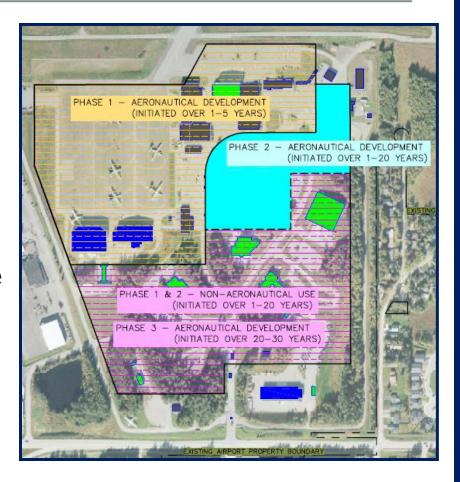




Potential Phasing Phase 2

NE Quadrant - 1 to 20 years

- 3 4 aeronautical lots
- Aeronautical demand and timing less certain
- More difficult/expensive to develop
- Layout pending future master plan & public input





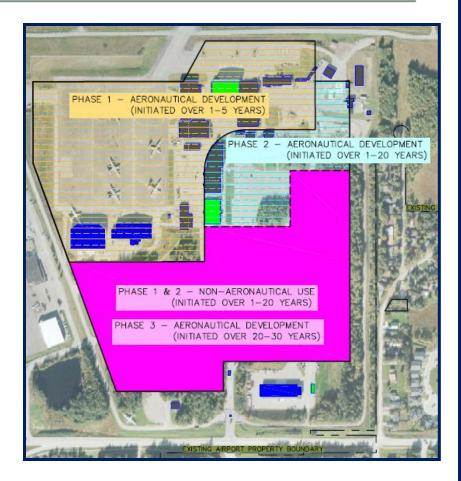


Potential Phasing Phase 3

South half - 1 to 20 years nonaeronautical use;

20+ years aeronautical

- Aeronautical demand and timing very uncertain
- Most difficult/expensive to redevelop
- Interim non-aeronautical use – offices, warehouse, etc. likely for 20+ years
- Could include aviationrelated activities not requiring a new taxiway

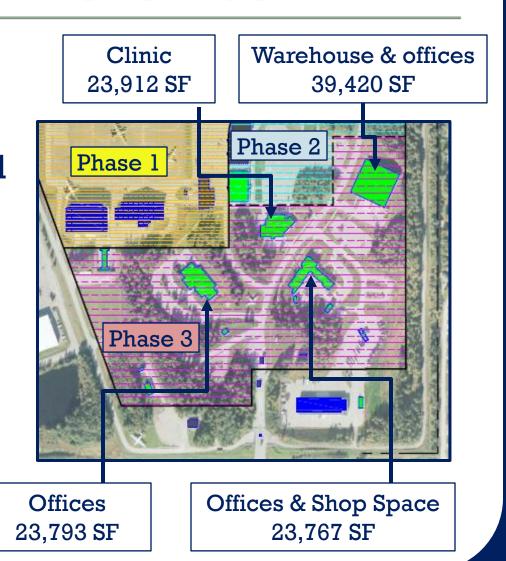






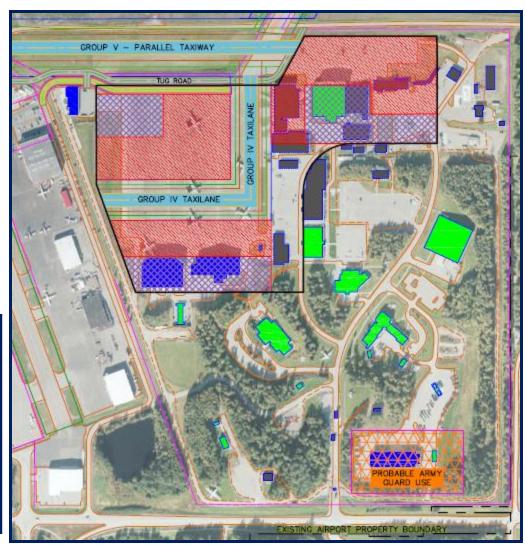
Interim Use – South Half

- 4 existing buildings
- Fair market value will not unfairly compete with off-airport commercial property
- ANC unlikely to allow new construction for non-aeronautical use buildings





Phase 1 Development Concept







Phases 2 and 3 Determined Later

- Phase 1 keeps Phases 2 & 3 options open
- Phases 2 & 3 demand/layout reevaluated over next5+ years
 - Reexamined in next Master Plan 2011 to 2013
 - Reassess demand after recession
 - Infrastructure funding clearer
 - MOA/ANC land trade discussions to factor in buffer
 - More public/neighborhood input before final plan is selected/implemented



Addressing Public Concerns

- Noise lease lots between residences & operations
- <u>Vehicle Traffic</u> coordinate with DOT&PF and MOA as Raspberry Road improvements needed
- <u>Visual/Aesthetic</u> Use of terrain for setback from Raspberry Road; maintenance of some vegetation on east where possible; possible MOA land trade
- <u>Environmental Contamination</u> additional testing and remediation if required
- Construction dust mitigation, limits on hours
- <u>Phased Development</u> allows for more public input
- The Bigger Picture Coordination with West Anchorage District Plan
 Anchor

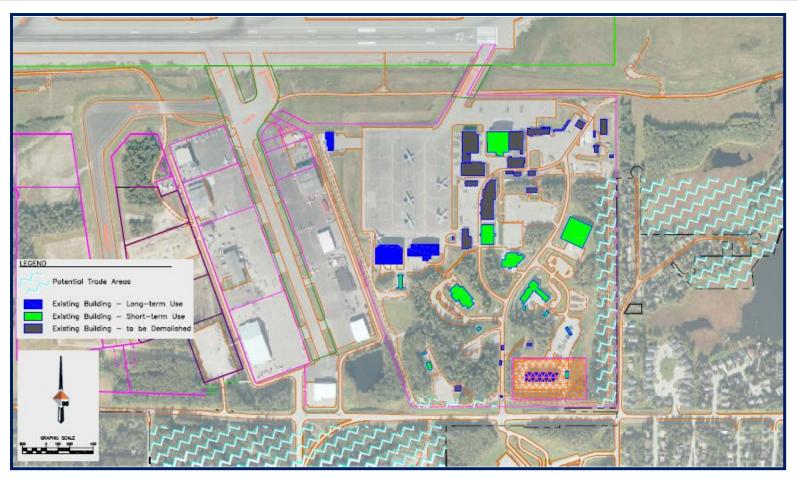


Buffer Areas

- Smaller parcels, sloped areas easier to preserve as buffer
- Larger, developable parcels less likely to be preserved as buffer
- MOA-Airport land trade is a way to guarantee buffer preservation



Possible Areas for MOA-Airport Trade







Coordination with West Anchorage District Plan

- Airport is a large player in the future of West Anchorage
- Airport is participating on the planning group
- MOA and Airport and the Community are working together to develop solutions to address:
 - Continued growth of Airport as an economic engine
 - Identify ways to address airport/resident impacts
 - Address recreation uses on airport lands
 - More coordination between the Airport and the MOA on developments that will affect each other
- Draft Plan expected to be released this summer









Next Steps

- Update Business Interest Survey May/June
- Business Strategy June/July
- Draft Report August
- KAG & Community Council Meetings September
- Final Report October





Discussion

- Comments
- Questions



